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### State of Louisiana

## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND FINANCE Request for Statement of Interest and Qualifications

"OCPR Geotechnical Services for Coastal Restoration Projects"

DNR RSIQ No. 2503-10-100

April 6, 2010

The Louisiana Department of Natural Resources (the Department) hereby invites you to submit a Statement of Interest and Qualifications (SIQ) for geotechnical assistance as described in the scope of services (Enclosure 1).

The proposed contract will be negotiated with the firm selected by the Department and will begin approximately September 1, 2010. The Department's Professional Services Contract will be used for this contract (Enclosure 2).

The general criteria to be used by the Department in evaluating responses for the selection of a potential contractor to perform these services are:

1. <u>Specialized Experience (Firm and Key Personnel)</u>
Measures both the firm's and key personnel's
demonstrated experience and performance on work
similar to that likely to be required on this project.

40 points

2. <u>Professional Qualifications</u>
Measures the personal qualifications of key personnel expected to participate on this project, including academic attainment, professional achievements and relevant experience.

30 points

3. <u>Capability of Firm</u>

Measures the ability of the firm to provide the technical/professional disciplines necessary to

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perform these services within the designated time frame.

TOTAL

100 points

Should you wish to respond to this request for an SIQ please submit four (4) copies of a written statement expressing your willingness to comply with the terms specified herein. Elaborate proposals are neither required nor desired. The Department prefers a simple presentation and discourages extensive use of artistic designs, use of hard binders, etc. Included in your SIQ should be (1) an executive summary stating the firm's particular expertise, resources and advantages they will bring to the project. Also why the submitting team would be the best selection for the project. This summary is limited to two pages; (2) Standard Form DOTD 24-102 (SF24-102) which is attached as Enclosure 3; In the event the SIQ contains subcontractors, the particular task they will perform together with the relevant experience should be included. Names listed on the SF24-102 must precisely match the names filed with the Louisiana Secretary of State, Corporation Division, and the Louisiana State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors. Any potential contractor failing to submit any of the information required on the SF24-102 will be considered non-responsive.

NOTE: Travel and other allowable expenses shall be reimbursed in accordance with the Division of Administration State General Travel Regulations, within the limits established for State Employees as defined in Division of Administration Policy and Procedure Memorandum No. 49 (PPM 49). PPM 49 can be accessed at http://www.doa.state.la.us/osp/travel/traveloffice.htm.

This written statement must be provided to the Department no later than 3:00 p.m., <u>May 6, 2010</u>. Statements must be addressed to:

Ms. Karen Y. Lewis Contracts and Grants Administrator Louisiana Department of Natural Resources P. O. Box 94396 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9396

and if not mailed, may be hand delivered to Ms. Lewis at the Natural Resources Building, 617 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor Room 1265, Baton Rouge, Louisiana. The selected firm will be posted on the Department of Natural Resources web page at <a href="www.dnr.state.la.us">www.dnr.state.la.us</a>. Click on Offices/Divisions. Then click on Contracts and Grants.

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All potential contractors should be advised that contractors may, in certain circumstances be deemed "public employees" as defined by the Ethics Commission. Full disclosure to the **Department is required of any potential conflicts.** Any potential conflicts shall be resolved with the Ethics Commission prior to seeking a contract. The commission on Ethics for Public Employees is located at 7434 Perkins Road, Baton Rouge, LA 70808; telephone number (225)765-2308.

According to the provisions of LA. R.S. 12:301-302, any corporation which is not incorporated in the State of Louisiana must obtain a certificate of authority to transact business in Louisiana from the Louisiana Secretary of State, Corporations Division, 3851 Essen Lane, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70809, Phone no. (225)925-4704.

For-profit and non-publicly traded corporations must provide a Disclosure of Ownership form when contracting with the Department. The Disclosure of Ownership should <u>not</u> be submitted with SIQ. However, prior to contracting with the Department, the forms must be completed, notarized, and submitted to the Louisiana Secretary of State, Corporations Division, 3851 Essen Lane, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70809 and a copy stamped by the Corporations Division must be provided to the Department.

The firm, engineers, or surveyors that will accomplish the work as described in Enclosure 1, Scope of Services, shall be certified by the Louisiana State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors and shall possess current licenses throughout the term of the contract. The firm, engineers, or surveyors shall provide all services in compliance with the registration law for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors (L.R.S. 37:681 through 37:703 as amended by Act 568 of 1980) and the rules of the Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors.

ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS REQUEST FOR STATEMENT OF INTEREST AND QUALIFICATION SHOULD BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING TO THE CONTRACTS AND GRANTS ADMINISTRATOR

Replies to such questions will be provided in writing and the questions and answers thereto will be sent to all potential proposers. Questions must be submitted in writing and received by 2:00 p.m., April 20, 2010.

Enclosures
(1) Scope of Services
(2) Professional Services Contract
(3) Standard Form DOTD 24-102

#### SCOPE OF SERVICES

#### FOR

#### GEOTECHNICAL SERVICES

#### I. INTRODUCTION

The Louisiana Office of Coastal Protection and Restoration (OCPR) is responsible for designing, evaluating, implementing, maintaining, operating, and monitoring Coastal Restoration and Flood Protection projects in the Louisiana Coastal Zone. The proposed contract will provide for geophysical surveying and geotechnical engineering services on projects initiated by OCPR.

A copy of the contract you will be required to sign if selected is attached. Please review the contract prior to submitting your proposal. No requests for changes to the contract language will be considered. One (1) 36 month contract will be awarded from this advertisement.

#### II. SCOPE OF WORK

This contract's services and deliverables will be provided on an as needed, task order basis.

#### A. Services Required

The specific services consist of the following:

- 1) <u>Geotechnical Investigations and Analysis</u>. Provide personnel and equipment to conduct geotechnical investigations including, but not limited to:
  - Shallow and deep soil borings
  - Soil Properties (e.g., moisture content, organic content, unit weight)
  - Classification (e.g., Atterberg limits, grain size distribution)
  - Strength tests (e.g., miniature vane, unconfined compression, triaxial)
  - Geotechnical Engineering (e.g., global slope stability analysis, consolidation settlement of underlying soils, self weight consolidation of dredge material, settling column test, settlement curves, geotechnical instrumentation)
  - Subsurface profiles
  - Detailed engineering reports with analyses and recommendations
  - Reviewing geotechnical reports prepared by other professionals
- 2) <u>Geophysical and Geological Investigations</u>, Provide personnel and equipment to conduct reconnaissance level and detailed geophysical investigations for riverine and offshore sediment searches. Investigations may include collection and analysis of:

- Bathymetric survey
- Preliminary sampling plan (grab samples and vibracores)
- Seismic survey / Sub-bottom profiling
- Jet probing
- Side scan sonar survey
- Magnetometer survey
- Evaluation of geophysical data
- Borrow area delineation and volume calculations
- Technical report writing

Sand search investigations should follow OCPR's General Guidelines for Exploration of Offshore Sand Sources.

#### B. Personnel and Equipment Requirements

- 1) <u>General.</u> Provide the field personnel, engineers, office staff, and equipment necessary to accomplish the services as tasked by OCPR. Project sites may be located in remote areas (e.g., marsh, barrier island) requiring special access equipment of different size and capability. Typical requirements will include requesting site access from land owners prior to work being performed
- 2) <u>Field Work</u>. All soil sampling methods accomplished under this Scope of Services shall be performed under the supervision of a Louisiana Licensed Professional Engineer well versed in such work.
- 3) <u>Land Surveyor Requirements.</u> Surveying work accomplished under this Scope of Services will be performed in accordance with the laws and rules of the Louisiana Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board (LAPELS).
- 4) <u>Engineer Requirements.</u> Engineering work accomplished under this Scope of Services will be performed in accordance with the laws and rules of the Louisiana Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board (LAPELS).
- 5) <u>Equipment.</u> Provide the necessary instruments, vehicles, boats and other equipment best suited to accomplish the services required by OCPR.

#### C. Typical Deliverables

- 1) Technical reports and presentations
- 2) Boring logs and field notes
- 3) Laboratory analysis results
- 4) Geophysical survey data and interpretation

- 5) Quantity calculations
- 6) Progress reports

A specific list of deliverables will accompany each Task Order when issued. All deliverables shall be accompanied by a typed Letter of Transmittal.

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	CONTRACT FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
the Off referre	CONTRACT, made and entered into this day of 20, by and between fice of Coastal Protection and Restoration OCPR of the State of Louisiana, hereinafter d to as the "OCPR", and officially domiciled at, after referred to as the "Contracting Party".
WITN	ESSETH:
	EAS, the OCPR desires to retain the Contracting Party to provide technical information of sessional expertise as hereinafter described; and
	EAS, a fee for the services to be provided by the Contracting Party pursuant to this that has been mutually agreed upon by all parties;
	THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained, the parties agree as follows:
notice a	CPR hereby employs and retains the Contracting Party who agrees to proceed, after proper and receipt of written authorization by the OCPR, with all services necessary to the nance, in proper sequence and in the time specified, of the items of work for the project as after set forth.
1.	PROJECT IDENTITY:
	This contract will be identified as "" with the Contract Number assigned as set forth above. All invoices and other correspondence submitted to the OCPR in connection with this contract shall be identified by this Contract Number.
2.	CONTRACT TERM:
	The term for the fulfillment of services to be performed pursuant to this contract shall be from through

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#### 3. SCOPE OF CONTRACT SERVICES:

The Contracting Party shall provide the necessary personnel, materials, services and facilities to perform the work as set forth in Appendix A (Scope of Services to be negotiated), attached hereto and made a part hereof.

#### 4. OCPR FURNISHED ITEMS:

The Executive Director of the OCPR will designate one or more persons on his staff to act as project manager(s) and the OCPR will provide the following to assist the Contracting Party in the performance of the Scope of Services:

- a. Appropriate personnel for consultation, as required; and
- b. Access to relevant material required in the performance of the work.

#### 5. NOTICE TO PROCEED:

The Contracting Party shall proceed with the work upon receipt of an executed contract which has been approved by the Division of Administration's Office of Contractual Review.

#### 6. COMPENSATION:

The fee which the OCPR agrees to pay and the Contracting Party agrees to accept for satisfactory completion of the services to be rendered pursuant to this contract shall not exceed a total sum of \_\_\_\_\_\_. Travel and other allowable costs shall constitute part of the maximum payable under the terms of this contract.

No authority exists for payments which exceed the approved maximum contract amount except through written amendment prior to expiration date of the contract.

#### 7. FISCAL YEAR FUNDING:

The continuation of this contract is contingent on the appropriation of funds to fulfill the requirements of the contract by the legislature. If the legislature fails to appropriate sufficient monies to provide for the continuation of the contract, or if such appropriation is reduced by the veto of the Governor or by any means provided in the appropriation act to prevent the total appropriation for the year from exceeding revenues for that year, or for any other lawful purpose, and the effect of such reduction is to provide insufficient

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monies for the continuation of the contract, the contract shall terminate on the date of the beginning of the first fiscal year for which funds are not appropriated.

#### 8. REPORTS AND PAYMENT:

#### a. Reporting Requirements:

The following report shall be received by the ( ) Project Manager prior to issuance of incremental and final payments:

A progress report shall be submitted by the Contracting Party with each invoice for payment on Form DNR-PR (Appendix B).

#### b. Payment:

Payment to the Contracting Party for services rendered shall be made according to the following:

Invoices for progress payments, with supporting documentation, detailing the fees charged and allowable costs to be reimbursed as set forth in Appendix A shall be based upon actual costs incurred and shall be submitted with progress reports.

Travel and other allowable expenses shall be reimbursed in accordance with the Division of Administration State General Travel Regulations, within the limits established for State Employees, as defined in Division of Administration Policy and Procedure Memorandum No. 49. All out of state travel will be subject to prior written approval of the Executive Director of the OCPR.

Payments shall be made by the OCPR within approximately thirty (30) days after receipt of an original and two copies of a proper invoice rendered according to the payment schedule and reports as prescribed in Item a. above, and which has been first approved for payment by the OCPR Project Manager.

#### 9. BUY AMERICAN ACT REQUIREMENTS:

The Contracting Party agrees, in the case of any equipment and/or product authorized to be purchased under this contract, to comply with 41 U.S.C. 10a-10c.

#### 10. ALLOWABLE COSTS:

Allowability of costs under this contract shall be determined in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

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#### 11. DELIVERABLES:

The Contracting Party shall provide to the OCPR the items specified in Appendix A as products of the services rendered under this contract.

#### 12. OWNERSHIP OF DOCUMENTS:

- A. Upon completion or termination of this contract, all data collected by the Contracting Party and all documents, notes, drawings, tracings and files collected or prepared specifically in connection with this work, except the Contracting Party's personnel and administrative files, shall become and be the property of the OCPR and the OCPR shall not be restricted in any way whatever in its use of such material. No other person shall have a property interest therein. In addition, at any time during the contract period, the OCPR shall have the right to require the Contracting Party to furnish copies of any or all data and all documents, notes and files collected or prepared by the Contracting Party specifically in connection with this contract within five (5) days of receipt of written notice issued by the OCPR.
- B. The OCPR encourages the use of data collected under DNR contracts for the purpose of dissemination of information through presentations of technical/scientific papers in symposiums/seminars/workshops, publication in journals, newspapers articles and news etc. However, to better control the release of information, the use of the collected data/project information for dissemination purposes is subjected to the following stipulations:
  - 1. Written permission must be sought from the Coastal Engineering Division Engineering & Design Section Manager prior to use of collected data/project information, for any of the publication purposes mentioned above.
  - 2. To obtain such permission a draft paper/presentation must be submitted to the E&D Section Manager for review and approval prior to its release.
  - 3. In all such papers/presentations, DNR (and others if appropriate) must be acknowledged as the source of funding for the data collection/project.

Failure to follow these guidelines may result in stoppage of work or lack of future Task Orders.

#### 13. INDEMNIFICATION:

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The Contracting Party agrees to protect, defend, indemnify, save and hold harmless the State of Louisiana, all State Departments, Agencies, Boards and Commissions, its officers, agents, servants and employees, including volunteers, from and against any and all claims, demands, expense and liability arising out of injury or death to any person or the damage, loss or destruction of any property which may occur or in any way grow out of any act or omission of the Contracting Party, its agents, servants, and employees, or any and all costs, expense and/or attorney fees incurred by the Contracting Party as a result of any claim, demands, and/or causes of action except of those claims, demands, and/or causes of action arising out of the negligence of the State of Louisiana, all State Departments, Agencies, Boards, Commissions, its agents, representatives, and/or employees. The Contracting Party agrees to investigate, handle, respond to, provide defense for and defend any such claims, demand, or suit at its sole expense and agrees to bear all other costs and expenses related thereto, even if it (claims, etc.) is groundless, false or fraudulent.

#### 14. INSURANCE

The Contracting Party shall procure and maintain, for the duration of this contract, insurance against claims for injuries to persons or damages to property which may arise from or in connection with the performance of the work hereunder by the Contracting Party, his agents, representatives, employees or subcontractors.

#### 1. Minimum Scope of Insurance

Coverage shall be at least as broad as:

- 1. Insurance Services Office form number GL 0002 (Ed.1/73) covering Comprehensive General Liability and Insurance Services Office form number GL 0404 covering Broad Form Comprehensive General Liability; or Insurance Services Office Commercial General Liability coverage ("occurrence" form CG 0001). "Claims made" form is unacceptable. The "occurrence form" shall not have a "sunset clause".
- 2. Insurance Services Office form number CA 0001 (Ed. 1/78) covering Automobile Liability and endorsement CA 0025 or CA 0001 12 90. The policy shall provide coverage for owned, hired, and non-owned coverage.
- 3. Workers' Compensation insurance as required by the Labor Code of the State of Louisiana, including Employers Liability insurance.

#### B. Minimum Limits of Insurance:

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#### Contractor shall maintain limits no less than:

- 1. Commercial General Liability: \$1,000,000 combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury, personal injury, and property damage.
- 2. Automobile Liability: \$1,000,000 combined single limit per accident, for bodily injury and property damage.
- 3. Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability:
  Workers' Compensation limits as required by the Labor Code of the State of
  Louisiana and Employers Liability coverage. Exception: Employers liability limit
  is to be \$1,000,000 when work is to be over water and involves maritime
  exposure.
- 4. Aircraft or Watercraft Liability (when applicable to project) \$2,000,000.00 for watercraft and \$5,000,000.00 for aircraft.
- C. Deductibles and Self-Insured Retentions

Any deductibles or self-insured retentions must be declared to and approved by the OCPR. At the option of the OCPR, either: the insurer shall reduce or eliminate such deductibles or self-insured retentions as respects the OCPR, its officers, officials, employees, and volunteers; or the Contracting Party shall procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigations, claim administration and defense expenses.

#### D. Other Insurance Provisions

The policies are to contain, or be endorsed to contain, the following provisions:

- 1. General Liability Coverage
  - a. The OCPR, its officers, officials, employees, Boards and Commissions and volunteers are to be added as "additional insureds" as respects liability arising out of activities performed by or on behalf of the Contracting Party; products and completed operations of the Contracting Party, premises owned, occupied or used by the Contracting Party. The coverage shall contain no special limitations on the scope of protection afforded to the OCPR, its officers, officials, employees or volunteers. It is understood that the business auto policy under "Who is insured" automatically provides liability coverage in favor of the State of Louisiana.

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- b. Any failure to comply with reporting provisions of the policy shall not affect coverage provided to the OCPR, its officers, officials, employees, Boards and Commissions or volunteers.
- c. The Contracting Party's insurance shall apply separately to each insured against whom claim is made or suit is brought, except with respect to the limits of the insurer's liability.
- 2. Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Coverage

The insurer shall agree to waive all rights of subrogation against the OCPR, its officers, officials, employees and volunteers for losses arising from work performed by the Contracting Party for the OCPR.

3. All Coverages

Each insurance policy required by this article shall be endorsed to state that coverage shall not be suspended, voided, cancelled by either party, or reduced in coverage or in limits except after thirty (30) days' prior written notice by certified mail, return receipt requested, has been given to the OCPR.

E. Acceptability of Insurers

Insurance is to be placed with insurers authorized in Louisiana, with a Best's rating of no less than A-:V. This requirement will be waived for workers' compensation coverage only.

F. Verification of Coverage

The Contracting Party shall furnish the OCPR with certificates of insurance effecting coverage required by this article, and shall include the DNR Contract number on the certificates. The certificates for each insurance policy are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. The certificates are to be received and approved by the OCPR before work commences. The OCPR reserves the right to require complete, certified copies of all required policies, at any time.

G. Subcontractors

The Contracting Party shall include all subcontractors as insureds under its policies or shall furnish separate certificates for each subcontractor. All coverages for subcontractors shall be subject to all of the requirements stated herein.

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#### 15. ASSIGNABILITY:

The Contracting Party shall not assign any interest in this contract, and shall not transfer any interest in the same (whether by assignment or novation), without the prior written consent of the OCPR thereto; provided, however, that all claims for money due or to become due to the Contracting Party under this contract may be assigned to its bank, trust company or other financial institution without such approval. Notice of any such assignment or transfer shall be furnished promptly to the OCPR.

#### 16. SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS:

This contract shall be binding upon the successors and assigns of the respective parties hereto.

#### 17. CLAIMS FOR LIENS:

The Contracting Party shall be solely liable for and shall hold the OCPR harmless from any and all claims or liens for labor, services or material furnished to the Contracting Party in connection with the performance of its obligations under this contract.

#### 18. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS:

The Contracting Party and its employees, subcontractors and agents shall comply with all applicable Federal, State and Local laws and ordinances, in carrying out the provisions of this contract.

#### 19. TAX RESPONSIBILITY:

The Contracting Party hereby agrees that the responsibility for payment of taxes from the funds received under this contract shall be the Contracting Party's obligation and shall be identified under Tax Identification Number

#### 20. EMPLOYMENT OF STATE PERSONNEL:

In accordance with La. R.S. 39:1498.(4), the Contracting Party certifies that it has not employed and will not employ any person to engage in the performance of this contract who is currently an employee of the State of Louisiana.

#### 21. COVENANT AGAINST CONTINGENT FEES:

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The Contracting Party warrants that it has not employed or retained any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for the Contracting Party, to solicit or secure this contract, and that it has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for the Contracting Party, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gifts, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or making of this contract. For breach or violation of this warranty, the OCPR shall have the right to annul this contract without liability, or in its discretion to deduct from the contract price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift or contingent fee.

#### 22. COST RECORDS:

The State, through the Legislative Auditor of the State of Louisiana and/or the Office of the Governor, Division of Administration auditors, and the Federal Government, through the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representatives shall be entitled to audit the books, documents, papers and records of the Contracting Party and any subcontractors which are reasonably related to this contract.

The Contracting Party and its subcontractors shall maintain all books, documents, papers, accounting records and other evidence pertaining to costs incurred and shall make such materials available at their respective offices at all reasonable times during the contract period and for three years from date of final payment under this contract, for inspection by the OCPR, Legislative Auditor, and/or the Office of the Governor, Division of Administration auditors, and copies thereof shall be furnished if requested.

#### 23. TERMINATION OF CONTRACT FOR CAUSE:

If, in the determination of the OCPR, the Contracting Party fails to fulfill in timely and proper manner its obligations under this contract or violates any of the covenants, agreements, or stipulations of this contract, the OCPR shall thereupon have the right to terminate this contract by giving written notice, sent certified mail (return receipt requested), to the Contracting Party of such termination and specifying the effective date thereof, at least ten (10) days before the effective date of such termination.

In that event, and at the option of the OCPR, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, surveys, drawings, maps, models, photographs, and reports or other material prepared by the Contracting Party under this contract shall become the property of the OCPR, and the Contracting Party shall be entitled to receive just and equitable compensation for any satisfactory work completed on such documents and other materials. The OCPR shall be relieved of liability for costs for any undelivered work as of the effective date of termination and shall be entitled to repayment for any progress payments made on undelivered work.

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Notwithstanding the above, the Contracting Party shall not be relieved of liability to the OCPR for damages sustained by the OCPR by virtue of any breach of the Contract by the Contracting Party, and the OCPR may withhold any payments to the Contracting Party for the purpose of setoff until such time as the exact amount of damages due the OCPR from the Contracting Party is determined.

#### 24. TERMINATION FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF THE OCPR:

The OCPR may terminate this contract at any time by giving written notice to the Contracting Party by certified mail (return receipt requested) of such termination and specifying the effective date thereof, at least fifteen (15) days before the effective date of such termination. In that event, and at the option of the OCPR, all finished or unfinished documents and other materials as described in the preceding section shall become its property. If the contract is terminated by the OCPR, as provided herein, the Contracting Party shall promptly submit a statement showing in detail the actual services performed to date of termination. The Contracting Party shall then be paid the proportion of the total contract amount which bears the same ratio as the services completed bears to the total scope of services called for in this contract, less payments of compensation previously made.

#### 25. REMEDIES:

Any claim or controversy arising out of this agreement shall be resolved by the provisions of La. R.S. 39:1524 - 1526.

#### 26. CIVIL RIGHTS COMPLIANCE:

The Contracting Party agrees to abide by the requirements of the following as applicable: Title VI and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended by the Equal Opportunity Act of 1972, Federal Executive Order 11246, the Federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, the Vietnam Era Veteran's Readjustment Assistance Act of 1974, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, the Age Act of 1972, and the Contracting Party agrees to abide by the requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990.

The Contracting Party shall not discriminate in its employment practices, and will render services under this contract without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, veteran status, political affiliation, disabilities or sexual orientation.

Any act of discrimination committed by the Contracting Party, or failure to comply with these statutory obligations, when applicable, shall be grounds for termination of this contract.

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#### 27. CODE OF ETHICS FOR STATE EMPLOYEES:

The Contracting Party acknowledges that Chapter 15 of Title 42 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes (R.S. 42:1101 et. seq., Code of Governmental Ethics) applies to the Contracting Party in the performance of services called for in this contract. The Contracting Party agrees to immediately notify the OCPR if potential violations of the Code of Governmental Ethics arise at any time during the term of this contract.

#### 28. CERTIFICATION OF DEBARMENT/SUSPENSION STATUS

The Contracting Party certifies with its execution of this agreement that it is not suspended, debarred or ineligible from entering into contracts with any Department or other Agency of the Federal Government, or in receipt of notice of proposed debarment or suspension.

The Contracting Party shall provide immediate notice to the OCPR in the event of being suspended, debarred or declared ineligible by any Department or other Federal Agency, or upon receipt of a notice of a proposed debarment or suspension, either prior to or after execution of this agreement.

The Contracting Party agrees to secure from its subcontractors certification that such subcontractors are not suspended, debarred or declared ineligible from entering into contracts with any Department or Agency of the Federal Government, or in receipt of a notice of proposed debarment or suspension.

Upon receipt of notice of suspension, debarment, or declaration that the Contracting Party is ineligible to enter into contracts with and Department or Agency of the Federal Government, either prior to or after execution of this agreement, the OCPR reserves the right to review cause for said debarment, suspension, or declaration of ineligibility, and to terminate this contract pursuant to the terms of the article in this agreement entitled TERMINATION OF CONTRACT FOR CAUSE, or take such other action it deems appropriate under this contract.

#### 29. REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS:

The firm, engineers, or surveyors that will accomplish the work as described in the Scope of Services (Appendix A) shall be certified by the Louisiana State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors and shall possess current licenses throughout the term of the contract. The firm, engineers, or surveyors shall provide all services in compliance with the registration law for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors (La. R. S. 37:681 through 37:703 as amended by Act 568 of 1980) and the

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	rules of the Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors.
30.	SUBCONTRACTORS:
	The Contracting Party agrees to obtain written OCPR approval prior to subcontracting any part of the services specified in Appendix A. The Contracting Party shall include, in any subcontract, the provisions contained in this contract. The Contracting Party shall submit requests for approval, accompanied by copies of proposed subcontracts, to the OCPR Project Manager. The Contracting Party further agrees to guarantee and be liable to the State (OCPR) for all services performed under any such subcontract.
31.	AMENDMENTS:
	No amendment shall be effective unless it is in writing, signed by duly authorized representatives of both parties, and approved by the Division of Administration's Office of Contractual Review.
AGRE CONT	OCPR AND THE CONTRACTING PARTY REPRESENT THAT THIS EMENT SUPERSEDES ALL PROPOSALS, ORAL AND WRITTEN, ALL PREVIOUS TRACTS, AGREEMENTS, NEGOTIATIONS AND ALL OTHER COMMUNICATIONS (EEN THE PARTIES WITH RESPECT TO THE SUBJECT MATTER HEREOF.
	TNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused these presents to be executed by their tive officers thereunto duly authorized as of the day and year first above written.

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STEVE MATHIES, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR Office of Coastal Protection & Restoration (OCPR) WITNESSES: (CONTRACTOR NAME)

STANDARD FORM	Professional Engineer	ENCLOSU
DOTD 24-102	and Related Services	
REV. 7/84	Questionnaire for	
	Specific Project	

## Purpose:

This form is for the purpose of providing information to the Louisiana Department of Natural Resources regarding the qualifications of a professional firm to undertake a specific professional services contract.

specific project for which you wish to be considered, and should be provided, by the due date, to the office specified in the request or public announcement. Responses should be as complete and accurate as possible, contain data relative to the

This form will be used only for the specified project. Do not refer to the submittal in response to other requests or public announcements.

## Definitions:

development, design and construction, alteration, or repair of real property, as well as consultations, planning, programming, conceptual designs, plans and specifications, cost estimates, inspections, shop drawing reviews, sample recommendations, preparation of incidental services that members of these professions and those in their employ may 'Engineer and related services" are those professional services associated with research, ogically or justifiably perform, including studies, investigations, surveys, evaluations, operating and maintenance manuals, and other related services.

"Principals" are those individuals in a firm who possess legal responsibility for its They may be owners, partners, corporate officers, associates, administrators, etc. management.

"Discipline", as used in this questionnaire, refers to the primary technological capability of individuals in the responding firm. Possession of an academic degree, professional registration, certification, or extensive experience in a particular field of practice normally effects an individual's primary technical discipline.

individuals who will have major project responsibility or will provide unusual or unique firms "Key Persons, Specialists, and Sub contractor", as used in this questionnaire, refer to capabilities for the project under consideration.

nstructions for Filing (Numbers below correspond to numbers contained in firm):

1. Give name and location of the project for which this form is being submitted.

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Provide appropriate data from the advertisement source identifying the particular project for which the form is being filed. 2a. Give the date of the advertisement source in which the project announcement appeared

Indicate project number as provided in the announcement.

Show name of the individual or firm which is submitting this form for the project.

of contact. Such individual must be empowered to speak for the firm on policy and contractual matters and should be familiar with the programs and procedures of the Louisiana Department of Natural Resources to which this form is directed. 3a. List the name, title, and telephone number of that principle who will serve as the point

Give the address of the specific office which will perform the announced work.

3c. Give the name of the resident full-time engineer licensed in Louisiana who will be in responsible charge of the office. Insert the number of personnel by discipline presently employed (on date of this form) at work location. While some personnel may be qualified in several disciplines, each person should be counted only once in accord with his or her primary function. Write in any additional disciplines - sociologists, biologists, etc. - and number of people in each, in blank spaces. Personnel not domicited in Louisiana should be noted by "()".

firm's total overhead figure (current within the last twelve months and including payroll Indicate whether you have sufficient staff presently employed to perform these services within the designated time frame or will you have to augment your present staff. Give your additives) expressed as a percentage of direct payroll and indicate if you are limiting it.

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6. Answer yes or no. If yes, provide names and addresses of all such individuals or firms, as well as their particular area of technical/professional expertise, as it relates to this project. Existence of previous working relationships should be noted. Include 24-102 for each. Estimated percent ofwork sub-consultant will perform must be listed.

Care should be taken to limit resumes to only those personnel and specialists who will have Each resume must include: (a) name of each key person and specialist and his or her title, (b) the project assignment or role which that person will be expected to fulfill in connection with this project, (c) the name of the firm or organization, if any, with whom that individual is presently associated, (d) years of relevant experience with the present firm and other firms, (e) the highest academicdegree achieved, (such as two PhD's, list both), the year received and the particular technical/professional discipline which that individual will bring to the project, (f) if registered as an engineer, surveyor, etc., show the field of registration, the year that such registration was first acquired and the Louisiana Registration number and (g) a synopsis of experience, training, or other qualities which familiarity with the geographic area. Please limit the synopsis of experience to directly reflect the individual's potential contribution to this project. Include such data as familiarity with agency procedures, similar type of work performed in the past, management abilities, 7. Provide brief resumes of key personnel expected to participate on this project. project responsibilities. relevant information.

8. List up to ten projects which demonstrate the competence of the firm's personnel available for this project to perform work similar to that likely to be required on this project. The more recent such projects, the better. Prime consideration will be given to projects which illustrate respondent's capability for performing work similar to that being sought. Required information must include: (a) name and location of project, (b) the names of current firm members involved in the project, (c) a project description, (d) brief description of type and extent of services provided for each project, (e) name and address of the owner of that project (ff Government agency, indicate responsible office), (f) completion date (actual or estimated), (g) total construction cost of completed project, (or where no construction was involved, the approximate cost of your work) for that portion of the cost of the project for which the named firm was/is responsible.

9. List only those projects which the firm is currently performing or is selected to perform under direct contract with the Louisiana Department of Natural Resources. Indicate in the Percent Complete column (d), the percentage of Engineering Services completed upon filing this form. In the Total Fee Remaining columns, list only that portion of the fee pertaining to your firm (if it is a joint venture or prime-sub contract). Total these two columns.

10. Through narrative discussion, show reason why the firm submitting this questionnaire believes it is especially qualified to undertake the project. Information provided should include, but not be limited to, such data as specialized equipment available for this work, and awards or recognition received by a firm or individuals for similar work, etc. Respondents may say anything they wish in support of their qualifications. When appropriate, respondents may supplement this proposal with graphic material and photographs which best demonstrate design capabilities of the team proposed for this project.

11. Completed forms should be signed by the chief executive officer or the engineer principle responsible for the conduct of the work in the event it is awarded to the organization submitting this form. ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THE FORM SHOULD BE CURRENT AND FACTUAL.

2b. Project Number		e, Zp)	.0	isiana should be noted by "( )". Jomiciled in LA		applicable,
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STANDARD FORM DOTD 24-102 REV. 7/84 Professional Engineer and Related Services Questionnalire for Specific Project	3. Firm Name and Mailing Address			Administrative	ently have sufficient staff to	Please indicate if your firm is a Minority-Owned Enterprise (MBE), Woman-Owned Enterprise (WBE), or a Disadvantaged-Business Enterprise (DBE) or not applicable.

o use a sub-consultant(s)? yes	no. Ifanswer is yes, all information must be filled out below.	
Name & Address	Description and % of work to be done	Worked with Prime before (Yes or No)
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7. Brief Resume of Key Persons Anticipated for this Project	
a. Name, Title & Domicile	
b. Project Assignment	
c. Name of Firm by which employed full time	
d. Years experience: With this Firm With Other Firms	
e. Education: Degree(s) / Years / Specialization	
f. Active Registration: Year First Registered/Discipline BranchLA License No	
g. Other Experience and Qualifications relevant to the proposed project:	
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8. Work by Firm's (or Sub Consultant's) present Personnel Members which Best Illustrates Current Qualifications Relevant to this Project (List not more than 10 Projects)	Location b. Firm Members c. Project Description Grant Pincolved and Address c. Project Description Date d. Nature of Firm's e. Owner's Name and Address f. Completion Date g. Estimated Cost (in Estimated) thousands)					
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a. Project Name & Location	b. Nature of Firm's Responsibility	c. Office (Responsible Office)	d. Percent complete	e. Engineering Fee (in thousands)	(in thousands)
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10. Use this space to provide anyadditional information or description of resources supporting your firm's qualification for the proposed project	
egoing is a statement of fact.	Date:
Signature: Typed Name and Title:	